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Original Mean Girls *Heathers: The Musical* Rocks the Arts Barn Stage

Gaithersburg, MD – (February 7, 2019) In partnership with Rockville Musical Theatre, *Arts on the Green* presents *Heathers: The Musical*, with music, lyrics, and a book by Laurence O'Keefe and Kevin Murphy. The rock musical runs March 8 through 24, 2019, with performances on Fridays and Saturdays at 8 p.m. and Sundays at 2 p.m. The Arts Barn is located at 311 Kent Square Road. Admission is \$22, \$18 for students ages 15 – 21 with student ID. This show contains mature themes: strong language, sexuality and violence. It is recommended for ages 15 and older.

Based on the 1989 film, Westerberg High is ruled by a shoulder-padded, scrunchie-wearing junta: Heather, Heather and Heather, the hottest and cruelest girls in all of Ohio. But, misfit Veronica Sawyer rejects their evil regime for a new boyfriend, the dark and sexy stranger J.D., who plans to put the Heathers in their place – six feet under.

Purchase tickets online or call the Arts Barn Box Office at 301-258-6394. For more information visit gaithersburgmd.gov or follow us on Facebook, Twitter or Instagram at *ArtsOnTheGreen*.

The Arts on the Green Theater series is funded in part by a grant from the Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC). To discover more about MSAC grants and how they impact Maryland's arts sector, visit www.msac.org.

About *Arts on the Green*

Arts on the Green is the City of Gaithersburg's home for the performing and visual arts. Musicals, comedies, dramas, magic shows, and other theatrical performances light up the Arts Barn stage, where every seat has superb visibility. Come see the changing exhibitions by regionally known artists, dabble in the creative arts with Art Night Out workshops, and find unique hand-made gifts in the City Shop.

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